



City Council Agenda Item 23.1

2019 Public Art Annual Plan

February 5, 2019

Council Strategic Goal Four

Enhance El Paso's Quality of Life through Recreational, Cultural and Educational Environments

4.1: Deliver Bond Projects Impacting Quality of Life Across the City in a Timely, Efficient Manner



El Paso Museums & Cultural Affairs Department

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The City of El Paso Public Art Program

To date the program has:

- Completed 58 Projects.
- Established the Art Purchase Program with 112 Acquisitions.
- Worked with 123 Artists, 65% being Local Artists.
- Provided 21 Local Artists with professional apprenticeships through the Allied Artist Program.
- Impacted 91 Local Businesses with Public Art Projects.
- Received 7 National awards and has been featured in 6 National publications.



Purpose

- Per Ordinance No. 16324, the Museums & Cultural Affairs Advisory Board shall submit an annual Public Art Plan to the City Council for approval.
- Upon resolution adoption, the City Manager or a designee is authorized to enter into contracts to carry out the Plan as described in Exhibit "A".
- The 2019 Public Art Annual Plan includes an update of projects in progress and new projects to be initiated, with these including the planned project location, proposed budget, timetable, artist selection process and/or artist selected for each project as identified in the Public Art Master Plan which was adopted on October 28, 2014.



2014- 2024 Public Art Master Plan Alignment

New projects focus on three specific recommendations:

- Creating identity for visitors and residents.
- Reinforcing places of gathering and meaning in neighborhoods.
- Strengthening downtown and other areas of urban investment as pedestrian-oriented cultural and economic resources.



Projects completed in 2018/early 2019

Project	District	Title	Artist	Budget	Completion
Westside Pool Facility	1,8	Marquise	Marc Fornes	\$350,000	Feb-18
Airway Landscape Project	2	El Paso Passage	Bill FitzGibbons	\$165,000	Oct-18
Richard Burges Library	4	Kidz Zone	Hal Marcus	\$50,000	Oct-18
EP Zoo- Chihuahuan Desert Habitat	8	Persistencia	Andrew Dufford	\$300,000	Nov-18
Alameda Rapid Transit System	3,6,7,8	Alameda Brio	13 Local Artists	\$300,000	Jan-19

Projects near completion

Project	District	Title	Artist	Budget	Timeline
Rich Beem Roundabout	5	Conexion	Jose Cano	\$84,000	Dec-18
Dyer Rapid Transit System	2,4,8	Camouflage* name TBD	Haddad Drugan LLC	\$300,000	Mar-19



Marquise

Marc Fornes



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Airway Landscape Project

Bill FitzGibbons



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Kids Zone Hal Marcus



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Persistencia

EP Zoo- Chihuahuan Desert Habitat



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Conexion

Edgemere and Rich Beem Roundabout



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New Projects and New Allocations

2019 Public Art Plan

Project	Location	Selection Process	Artist	Additional allocations	Additional allocations	Additional allocations	Timeline	District
Children's Museum	201 W. Main	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$500,000	\$300,000	\$800,000	Jun-22	8
Mexican American Cultural Center (MACC)	501 N. Oregon St	Open Competition	TBD	\$215,000	\$0	\$215,000	Aug-22	8
Men of Company E memorial at MACC	501 N. Oregon St	Direct Selection	TBD	\$100,000	\$0	\$100,000	Aug-22	8
Sun City Lights- El Paso St Roundabout	El Paso St	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$100,000	\$0	\$100,000	TBD	8
Pioneer Plaza	Pioneer plaza	Direct Selection	TBD	\$100,000	\$0	\$100,000	TBD	8



Projects in Progress

No New Allocations

Project	Location	Selection Process	Artist	Allocations	Additional allocations	Timeline	District
Airway Blvd median improvements	Airway and Edgemere	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	Christopher Weed	\$1,000,000	\$0	Oct-19	3
Alameda Recreation Center/Library	7380 Alameda	Open Competition	Osman Akan	\$200,000	\$0	Dec-19	3
Bartlett Park	500 Bartlett Dr.	Open Competition	Michael Stutz	\$75,000	\$0	Jul-19	1
Carolina Bridge	Alameda and Carolina	Direct Selection	Creative Kids	\$100,000	\$0	Dec-19	3,7
Chamizal Recreation Center/Library	2119 Cypress	Direct Selection	Jesus "Cimi" Alvarado	\$200,000	\$0	Dec-19	8
Chelsea Water Park	900 Radford St	Open Competition	Madeline Wiener	\$200,000	\$0	May-20	2
City Entryways	Citywide	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	TBD	\$1,500,000	\$0	Jun-20	All
Dyer Rapid Transit System	Dyer Corridor	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	Haddad Drugan LLC	\$300,000	\$0	Aug-18	2,4,8
Eastside Regional Park- Plaza	Tierra Dorada	Open Competition	Brad Goldberg	\$205,000	\$0	Mar-20	5
Eastside Regional Park- entry archway	Tierra Dorada	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	Mark Grieve	\$300,000	\$0	Mar-20	5
Eastside Regional Park- water park	Tierra Dorada	Open Competition	Olalekan Jeyifous	\$150,000	\$0	Mar-20	5
Far East Transfer Center	Edgemere and RC Poe	Open Competition	Aaron Stephan	\$100,000	\$0	Aug-20	5
Hawkins Improvements	Gateway East to Merchant	Open Competition	TBD	\$220,000	\$0	Aug-20	3



Projects in Progress

No New Allocations

Project	Location	Selection Process	Artist	Allocations	Additional allocations	Timeline	District
Joey Barraza & Vino Park (Northeast Regional Park)	11270 McCombs	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	May + Watkins Studio	\$75,000	\$0	Apr-19	4
Lionel Forti Water Park	1225 Giles Rd	Open Competition	Simon Donovan	\$150,000	\$0	May-20	7
Lomaland Community Center	715 Lomita	Open Competition	Blessing Hancock	\$200,000	\$0	Dec-19	7
Montana Rapid Transit System	Montana Corridor	Open Competition	George Bates	\$350,000	\$0	Dec-19	2,3,5,8
Polly Harris Senior Center	6050 Wallenberg	Direct Selection	TBD	\$20,000	\$0	Sep-20	8
Railroad Dr. Improvements	Farah to Purple Heart	Open Competition	TBD	\$220,000	\$0	Oct-20	4
RC Poe Roundabout	Edgemere and RC Poe	Direct Selection	TBD	\$70,000	\$0	Dec-19	5
Schuster Improvements	Prospect to Campbell	Open Competition	TBD	\$220,000	\$0	Feb-20	1,8
Site Prep and Lighting	Citywide	N/A	N/A	\$100,000	\$0	Dec-19	All
Site/visitor amenities	Citywide	N/A	N/A	\$100,000	\$0	Aug-20	All
Streetscape Projects	Citywide	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$100,000	\$0	Dec-19	All
Tom Lea Park Slope	Tom Lea Park	Direct Selection	Albert "Tino" Ortega	\$200,000	\$0	Aug-19	1
Water Park (D1)	TBD	Open Competition	TBD	\$140,000	\$0	TBD	1
Water Park (D4)	Cohen area	Open Competition	John Davis	\$140,000	\$0	Mar-20	4



Alameda BRIO

13 local artists

Districts 3,6,7,8



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Chamizal Recreation Center/Library

Jesus "Cimi" Alvarado

District 8





Dyer RTS – Sun Metro

Haddad Drugan

Districts 2,4,8



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Alameda Recreation Center/Library

Osman Akan

District 3



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Eastside Regional Park

Brad Goldberg

Districts 5



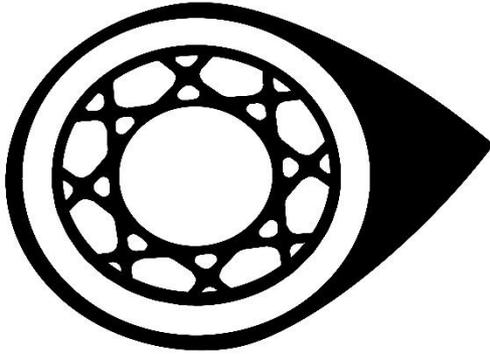
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Lomaland Community Center

Blessing Hancock

District 7





Questions ?



Public Art Committee

- The Public Art Committee (PAC) was established by Ordinance 16324, and serves as a standing committee on the Cultural Affairs Advisory Board (CAAB). With CAAB approval, the PAC oversees quality control of the public art program and projects and recommends the scope of a projects, artworks, and artists for the public art program.
- All PAC members must be qualified/credentialed professionals and represent the following: 4 members of the PAC shall be representatives of the architecture, landscape architecture, urban planning or engineering, construction or development industries; 4 members of the PAC shall be representatives of the visual arts, such as visual artist, curators, art historians or critics, arts advocates/collectors or arts administrators.
- 11 Members: The Chair of the MCAAB shall appoint 3 members to the PAC, from the MCAAB, one of which will be appointed as Chair. Additional 8 members will be appointed by the Chair of the MCAAB from a list of qualified citizen candidates provided by the Museums and Cultural Affairs staff and approved by the MCAAB. See Ordinance 17424.
- Member list:
 - Sarelah Aguilar
 - Edmund Castle
 - Lloyd Hamilton III
 - Emanuel Iglesias
 - Laura Jacquez
 - Edgar Lopez
 - Adam Marshall
 - Josue Munoz
 - Laura Turon